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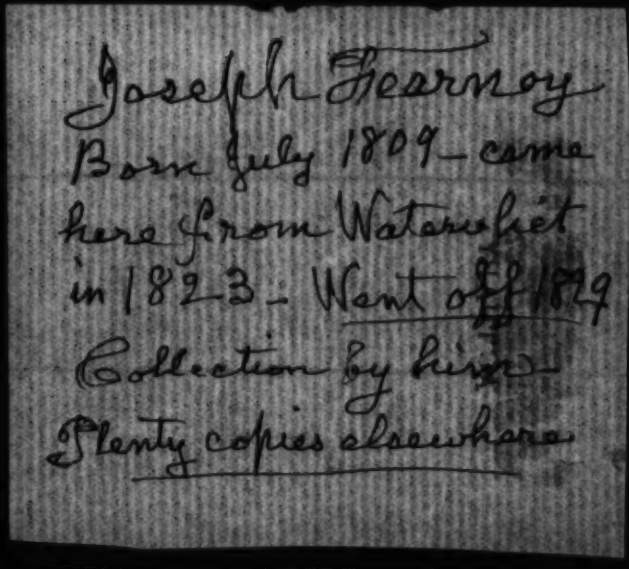
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Sweet Peace.

1. Come sweet peace and consolation
Sovreign of eternal rest
Bless thy childrens habitation
Come and reign among the just
Come sweet peace & march before us
Bind us with thy golden chain
While we join the heavenly chorus
Peace on earth good will to man

2 Come sweet peace & guard around me
Watching every rising thought
Every one that would confound thee
Crush the viper into nought
Come sweet peace & fill my bosom
Let all jaring sounds be mute
Let the Olive spread & blosom
Fill us with thy heavenly fruit

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3 Come sweet peace for thee I'm calling
Come thy sacred banner spread
Where all discord is a falling
Boldly rear thy lovely head
Come sweet peace thou art prevailing
Surely thou hast gained the palm
Bitter envy strife and railing
Flee before the peaceful Lamb

4 Come sweet peace and take posession
Bear the sceptre in thy hand
Feast the nations with thy blessings
Ride triumphant thro the land
Come sweet peace and reign forever
Never more thy subjects leave
Lovely pledge of christ the Saviour
Precious pearl that Mother gave

5 Come swet peace thou Godlike spirit
Thou art humble meek and mild
Who can clearly show thy merit
Thou art heavens lovely child
Come sweet peace thou lovely sister
Of pure Love and Charity
Every feature every jesture
Shows that heavens found with thee

6 Come sweet peace so mild and placid
Come sweet peace posses my mind
Let all evil be erased
That I may thy blessings find
Come sweet peace & put behind me
All contention war & strife
Come sweet peace in mercy join [illegible] me
To the blooming tree of Life

The Childrens Blessing

1 How I prize my lovely treasure
Sent from Zions spotless dove
Now I realize with pleasure
Precious Mother Lucys love
Heiress of the heavenly graces
Glorified with Christ above
Joined in Mother Anns embrace
Clothed with beauty & with love

2 Come thou blessed of my father
Saith the well beloved Son
Take the crown for you prepared
Take the kingdom you have won
Heaven opens wide her portals
To receive the happy guest
Now she wears a crown immortal
With the first born heirs of rest

3 Mothers chaste and holy spirit
Sits upon the fathers thrown
Life eternal to inherit
That her virtuous life have sown
Well done good & faithful Mother
Now receive thy just reward
In the kingdom with thy saviour
Reap the glory with thy Lord

4 Now thy children rise and bless thee
Unborn millions will thee praise
With loud Anthems they'll address thee
And their thankful voices raise
While they imitate thy virtues
While thy wisdom they extal
They will bless the name of Mother
Who prepared away for all

Zions fortress thou hast strengthened
And her walls hast fortified
Every cord thy hand hath strengthend
And adornd her like a bride
Thou hast beautified her tower
Thou hast set her gates of pearl
Thou hast gave her strength & power
Every banner to unfurl.

Beauty reigns all round her border
Where her holy feet have trod
Truth and justice peace and order
In the power and gift of God
Lord let Mothers love be groven
On the table of our hearts
Seal us with the hand of heaven
Never let thy love depart

Mothers Mantle

1 Our Mother has finished her work here on earth
And gone to the mansions of heavenly mirth
From all mortal sorrows her soul is releas'd
To reap the reward of her labours in peace

2 No more to her children can Mother return
Nor can we call back the good days that are gone
The years of her mortal existance are told
And we in the spirit can Mother behold

3 Her Angelic spirit unfetter'd from clay
Will shine forth in glory in heavnly day
And still our good Mother her love will retain
And make intersession for those that remain

4 Our Mothers not left us her spirit is here
To all good believers she still will be near
My mantle says Mother shall rest upon you

If ye my dear children are faithful & true

5 Her previous example does heaven record
Her life was unspoted devoted to God
And she was a Mother in Beral indeed
Her children felt safety in following their lead

6 In wisdom & patience in meekness & love
She pointed her childrn to mansions above
Confirmed the aged directed the youth
And brot up her children in virtue & truth

7 In her lovely footsteps O may we still run
And share in the glory which Mother has won
The law of our Mother we will not forsake
That of her kind blesings we still may partake

8 There still is a work for each mortal to do
Then let us be faithful till weve traveld thro
Lets cleave to the lead that in Zion remains
And thro all our dwellings let righteousness reign

Gospel Blessings

1 My gospel companions how lovely they are
Theres on earthly treasures so precious and fair
I love this relation this band of true peace
O may I maintain it with endless increase

2 I'm thankful to God for his goodness to me
And for that salvation by which I am free
While many poor creatures are sinking in woe
And know not the gospel where true comforts flow

3 I like good believers who bear a full cross
There like golden jewels refined from dross
And I do rejoice in their lovely increase
And pray God to bless them in mercy & peace

4 O Brethren & sisters what blessing we feel
How great is our comfort when filled with zeal
The way is so easy to those who obey
No hardship nor bondage appears in the way

5 For heavens so nigh us thro such a strait pass
To view its bright glories we need not a glass
A happified conscience that sinners n'eer feel
Brings heaven within us increasing our Zeal

6 O let us take courage be valient & bold
Theres nothing to hinder the true hearted soul
Lets walk in the pathway to mansions above
And strengthen eachother in purified love

7 Let those who are doubtful & chose their own way
Relinquish the cross and refuse to obey
Their portion is misery & sorrow at best
Their grief will be greater than tongue can express

8 But those who are subjects of goodness & truth
Will flourish and bloom like the morning of youth
Good Angels will guard them & help them along
Then let us rejoice and forever be strong

Zion .... Shall be pure

1. How dissatisfaction will roll thro the mind
Of those who are lovers of sin
True happiness never for them was designd
Their judgment at length must roll in
How long shall the wicked abide with the just
O heavens how long shall it be
Shall zion like Isral with Achan be cursd
And never be wholly made free

2. Shall those who continue to do their own will
And give their profession the lie
Go on a vast nature of lust to fulfil
And all righteous counsel defy
Shall these vile offenders continue secure
The day is advancing along
To try who is honest enough to endure
The work of a glorified throng

3 By the laws of Mount Zion the wicked shall flee
To some other region or place
For they & the righteous can never agree
While runing the pure gospel race
As chaff by the fan from the wheat must be blown
So wickedness all must depart
Before the true God or his Christ they have known
Who dwells in the sinhating heart

4 But those who are loyal to Zions great King
For their independence may stand
A soul undefiled a conscience that clean
Will ornament heavens purr band
Then lift up your heads ye afflicted & say
The order of God is my shield
So in the pure order of Zion I'll stay
To no other order I'll yield

5 My conscience shall witness I never will stray
My brethern and Sisters shall know
That I am determind to keep in the way
For where or to whom shall I go

In Zion are treasures which flow in rich streams
Here union and purity rise
Then why should I hearken to satans base dreams
Which are but deception & lies

6 The world is a scene of destruction and woe
And all its amusements are vain
Then why should I stoop to enjoyments so low
Which end in affliction and pain
The way to Mount Zion is certain and sure
'Tis guarded by Angels with care
And all who are faithful to keep themselves pure
Will find and inheritance there

The Lord ... our comforter

1. The Lord has again in his temple appeard
The voice of rejoicing and gladness is heard
The Bridgroom and Bride have now utterd their voice
And all their companions in union rejoice

2 They've come to Mount Zion an arch for the mind
A mountain that's flowing with milk & new wine
This hill of salvation their spirits renew
Where sweet consolation dicends like a dove

3 For thus saith the Lord I'm returned to be
A comfort to all who will call upon me
A lamp to the wanderer a couch to the frail
A certain protection that never will fail

4 The desert of Zion begins to be seen
Like Eden a garden delightfully green
With fruits and with flowers of various kinds
And beautiful bowers composed of vines

5 Break forth into singing ye heavens above
Ye mountains rejoice in a sonnet of love
The hill and the vallies in raptures may tell
Jehovah hath comforted all that do well

6 As dew saith the Lord unto Israel I'll be
And he shall grow up as a young Olive tree
His branches shall spread and his beauty increase
His shade shall be called the arbour of peace

7 The children of Israel their voices shall raise
In songs of thanksgiving and Anthems of praise
To heavens protector and Zions great friend
From whom every blessing to mortals descend

The Believer

I want to be little & simple and low
I want to be humble and meek;
That I with the Shepherd of Zion may go
Where pure love & union eternally flow
For such is the riches I seek

2 From all vile affection I want to be free
From pride & from anger and wrath,
That I the true Kingdom of heaven may see
And with our dear parents united may be
And reap the good fruits of my faith

3 If I am united to Christs lovely flock
To heaven sufficient for me

With them in a spiritual travel to walk
Until I am form on the permanent rock
Where love like a fountain runs free

4 I want to be faithful & bear a full cross
In all my affections resigned
Until I have conquerd the nature of loss
Till I am redeemed from the dregs & the dross
Like gold in the furnace refined

5 I know that I have to awake & arise
And zealously set out a new
To gain the good treasure the heavenly prize
To walk with the virgins thats holy
And this blessed journey pursue.

6 I want to be carful to follow my guide
Let Gods holy will be my choice
With oil in my vessel my lamps well supplied
And ready to wait on the Bridegroom & Bride
Where ever I hear the Sweet voice

My I want the true wisdom that comes from above
That our blessed parents made known
I want to be filled & be clothed with love
I want to be clean and as chaste as a dove
That heaven my offering may own

To the power that is exist'd in Mothers true seed
Is rising forever to stand
Then let us be careful to follow our lead
In one holy union forever accreid
Till sin is consumid from the land.

The Gospel Treasure.

1 Father grant me thy Protection
Be my guide both night & day
Let me walk with circumspection
In a self denying way
Fill my soul with Mothers spirit
Make me peaceful as a dove,

That I may a right inherit
In the mansions of thy love.

2. Thro this valley safely bear me
Let thy mercy me attend
Let no evil thought ensnare me
Be my Father and my friend
Clothe my soul with Mothers Spirit
Make me peaceful as a dove
That I may aright inherit
In the mansions of thy love

3 In this bitter way of trouble
Bitter vengence to repay
Let my watchfulness be double
In this great eventful day
Let our blessed Mothers spirit
Find in me a resting place
That I may aright inherit
In the mansions of thy grace

4 Let thine jnugement be a warning
Unto all who seek the light
Tho it is so bright as morning
With the morning comes the night
Shield my soul with Mothers spirit
Every evil to destroy
That I may aright inherit
In the mansions of thy joy

5 This kind promise thou hast given
Like a Father and a friend
To continue with thy chosen
Till the world shall have an end
Come thou sin destroying Spirit
Let my soul be thy abode
That I may a right inherit
In the mansions of thy God

Come Let us be Faithful

1 O may Mothers precepts thro time be remembered
And faithfully kept by her children in truth
That her holy spirit thro may still remain with us
To comfort & strengthen both aged & young

2 Come let us be faithful to honor the gospel
And keep the good council wich mother has given
That we may rejoice when we meet our kind parents
Again in peace love in the mansions of heaven

3 When all mothers children will unite together
And give thanks to God for the cross they have born
Then praise him forever in loud allelusias
In his holy kingdom when time is no more

The Gospel of Love.

1 What language is able how shall I reveal
To my brethren & sisters my love
My love to the gospel how thankful I feel
For the gospel which worketh by love
By love by union & love
For the gospel which worketh by love

2 Though language is feeble my sense to reveal
Yet obedience to heaven above
May picture how grateful how thankful I feel
For the gospel which worketh by love
By love by union & love
For the gospel which worketh by love

3 Like our blessed Saviour so humble I'll be
I'll be gentle & meek as a dove

By this my good Brethren & Sisters may see
That the gospel has fill'd me with love
With love with union & love
Tho the gospel has fill'd me with love

The living Shepherd

1 I am the living shepherd & all my precious sheep
That stay within my pasture I will forever keep
My life is not in danger I freely lay it down
To save my chosen people from wolves thats howling round

2 I am the goodly shepherd my sheep do hear my voice
To strangers they'll not hearken they'll follow me of choice
My little lambs I carry and fold them in my arms
Thus under my protection they're free from every harm

3 I am the door thats open my fold is large & clean
I lead to living fountains to pastures large & green
No wolves shall ever hurt them or ravenous beast of prey
If they be always careful upon my ground to stay

4 But O my sheep, I warn you that strangers are about
A trying to entice deceive you & get you scatterd out
Eyre throing in their darkness their price & carnal lusts
Discouragements and weakness & every thing that's (cause)
5 My precious sheep come hearken come follow me (choice)
I'll guide you thro' the darkness you shall not (wrong) err
I'll slay those beasts before you all fleshly lusts cast down
The vilest wolf that travels the devils forest round

6 If any chose to scatter & wander in the dark
Remember your in danger in every step you take
But all who keep their union & feild are mine my dear
They shall escape all dangers which devils can invent

Mothers Child

1 O may I be your Mothers child
I claim a just relation
For in this union meek and mild
I seek my souls salvation
No other ties shall draw my soul
To right or left direction

Since safely in my Mothers fold
I find my kind protection

2 Her gospel is the precious prize
I strive to be possessing
O may I not be so unwise
To forfeit any blessing
And since in Zion I possess
Such precious Gospel favours
O may assigned thankfulness
Be my continual labour

My Anchor is Secured

1 No adverse wind my course shall bind
All danger I am braving
Ill steer my bark towards the ark
Where Mothers Standards waving
The billows roar Ill put to shore
My anchor is secured
Ill sink and strive till I arive
In port where lives unsured

2 With zeal I'll sweep the foaming deep
And take my cross with pleasure
And labor more to have in store
An everlasting treasure
I'll watch and pray to keep the way
As Christ example teaches
I'll not complain but strive to gain
The never fading riches

3 This we may know what ere we sow
The same must be expected
Tares are not wont wild oats are chaff
Such fruit will be rejected
To say I love my God above
And set great store by Mother
Is all deceit if I should hate
My sister or my brother

4 Again unless my righteousness
Exceeds the antichristians
My hope will fall when God will call

My faith and works in question
Where few can meet in union sweet
A humble mind possessing
Christ will be there and grant their prayer
And give them Mothers blessing

5 I'll kiss the rod thats sent of god
Be patient meek and humble
No heavy stroke shall me provoke
To murmer fret or grumble
Then I can say Oblessed day
I have received with pleasure
That blessed peace that will increase
And be my lasting treasure

1 The Lovely Olive Tree

More pure love we want to feel
More obedience life and zeal
More united we must be
To the lovly Olive tree

2 Every branch must fill its place
Free from every thing that's base
Then the sap will freely flow
One in union we will grow

3 Satan cannot touch one branch
Nor change the form in which it stands
Heavenly love and purity
Is the substance of the tree

4 Now depart discord and strife
We have found the tree of life
Let our union freely flow
That this lovely tree may grow

5 Union is the Golden bowl
Truly one in heart and soul
We receive the oil of love
Freely flowing from above

A little Morsel.

1 Come little children now you may
Partake a little morsel
For little gifts and simple play
Adorns a great apostle
A little drop of Mothers love
Will make a feast of union
It is by little steps we move
Into a strong communion

2 A little faith does mighty deeds
Quite past my recounting
Faith like a grain of mustard seed
Can move a lofty mountain
A little charity and zeal
A little tribulation
A little patience makes us feel
Great piece and consolation

3 A little cross with cheerfulness
A little self denial

Will serve to make our feelings less
And bear the greatest trial
The spirit like a little dove
On Jesus once descended
To show his meekness and his love
This emblem was intended
4 The holy title of a Lamb
Unto our Lord was given
Such was the saviours humble name
The lord of earth and heaven
A little voice that's small and still
Can rule the new creation
A little stone the earth shall fill
And humble every nation

Mothers Love

1 Now I will be cheerful and thankful I'll be
For Mother has sent her kind love unto me
The love of my Mother is precious & pure
The love of my Mother will always endure

2. Mrs Elders have taught me what I've got to do
And I will be faithful untill I get thro
And if I grow weary I'll tune up my song
The love of my mother will help me along

3. In faith and in patience I will persevere
And if I am faithful I've nothing to fear
The crosses and trials arouns me do roll
The love of my Mother will comfort my soul

4. I bid to all pleasures that nature can give
For I will renounce them as long as I live
I'll leave them behind & above I will rise
The love of my Mother forever I'll prize

The Children of Light

1. Come all ye children of heavens pure light
Who walk in the new living way
Now let all your garments be holy & white
The beauties of heaven display
Be little & simple be upright and just
Be righteous and holy and wise

Redeemed from every pollution and lust
Lay hold on the immortal prize

2 & then the bright image of heavenly love
In each true believer will shine
And meekness and innocence pure as a dove
With every true Shul shall entwine
our eternal parents we then shall adore
Their power and likeness display
And live in sweet union henceforth evermore
And walk in the strait narrow way

3 Ye offspring of Heaven of joint parentage
Now show forth your royal descent
And let your light thro' every age
Until the whole world shall repent
The power & wisdom of heaven put on
The world and all will subdue
Then faith in obedience & virtue alone
Will certainly cut your way thro

4 Our Father & Mother, the Bridegroom & Bride
Do stand in true gift of God
We'll in their good counsel forever confide
And travel the straight narrow road
We honor and glory and eternal praise
To our loving parents we'll give
And follow their innocent virtuous ways
In union and harmony live

5 Our loving good Elders who teach us the way
In which our kind parents have trod
In thankful submission we'll truly obey
The order appointed of God
O teach us & lead us the heavenly road
Which leads to the mansions above
That happy celestial eternal abode
Of spirits united in love

The Troops of Zion

1 How lovely how peaceful how happy & blest
The troops on mountzion appear
Like orient stars that arise in the east
With beauty resplendent and fair
Their rising & shining as bright as the sun
Their lamps are supplied with good oil
They're marching to gether the treasures they've won
The blessed reward of their toil

2 Like birds on their passage they're swift in their flight
With banners unfurld and displayed
Their pressing towards their meridian height
In lovely white vestments arrayed
O never let one from his retreat
Lord march in the front of the youth
Untill they have gained a victory complete
And polished their weapons with truth

3 With worldly commotions they are not embroild
The gospel they boldly proclaim
The saviour has chosen them out of the world
The first fruits to God & the lamb
They're marching their armies to heavenly realms
Their king in his glory to meet
Their crowns & their treasures their jewels & gems
They lay at their conquerors feet.

Contentment in the Gospel

1 When ere my busy thoughts do rome
On things that are abrode
I feel contented with my home
& thankful to my God

2 This worlds a motley scene at best
My sense it cant divert
Its troubled waters cannot rest
But cast up mire & dirt

3 The rich can boast but not of truth
The poor how much distress
But I was called in my youth
And with the gospel blest

4 How many wander in the street
Quite destitute of food
While I have heavenly fruit to eat
And every thing that's good

5 The rich and proud can never share
The dainties of my meal
They cannot boast such blessed fair
Nor taste the bliss I feel

6 The gospel which has made me free
Supplies my every need
Then let contentment dwell with me
For I am rich indeed

7 Here I can walk the heavenly road
With my companions dear
Here I enjoy a blest abode
And all my treasures here

& Lest they walk in divers ways
Which leads to death and hell
I resolve to spend my days
To have Christs true followers dwell

Dismision Great I.

1 Go off great I & come not nigh
But quit my habitation
And come no more within my door
Corrupting my sensation
Depart I say flee far away
Your ways no more I'll practice
For all who try to be great I
Are all wicked proud and fractious

2 I now disclaim that great big name
And all my title to it
That great big I I'll mortify
& pity will I show it

It may hope and need not hope
To share in my salvation
The near of kin a natural twin
By reason of relation

The Humble heart

1. Whence comes this bright celestial light
What cause produces this
A heaven opens to my sight
Bright scenes of joy & bliss
O Lord Jehovah art thou here
This light proclaims thou art
I am Indeed I'm always near
Unto the humble heart
2. The proud & lofty I dispise
And bless the meek & low
I hear the humble soul that cries
And comfort I bestow

Of all the trees among the wood
Ive chose one little vine
The meek & low are nigh to me
The humble heart is mine

3. Tall cedars fall before the wind
The tempest break the oak
While slender vines will bow & bend
And rise beneath the stroke
Ive chosen me one pleasant grove
And set my lovely vine
There in my vineyard I will rove
The humble heart is mine

4. Of all the fowls that beat the air
Ive chose one little dove
Ive made her spotless white & fair
The object of my love

Her feathers are like purist gold
With glory she does shine
She is a beauty to behold
The humble heart is mine

5. Of all the kinds that range at large
Ive chose one little flock
And those I make my lovely charge
Before them I will walk
Their constant shepherd I will be
And all their ways refine
And they shall serve & reverence one
The humble ~~heart~~ humble is mine

6. Of all the sex that fill the land
one little band Ive chose
And led them forth by my right hand
And placed my love on those

The lovely object of my love
Around my heart shall twine
My flock my vineyard & my dove
The humble heart is mine

A fervent Prayer

1 O how I love the precious gifts
That flows in our communion
The billows roll we are not left
To still support our union
O spread thy pure angelic wings
Around us precious saviour
For thy remembrance always brings
Pure love to one another

2 Lord will thou grant my fervent prayer
My daily supplication
Protect the youth from every snare

That robs them of salvation
May they continue in thy love,
Give them the gospel treasure
And let their spirits soar above
All carnal joy and pleasure.

3 Lord let their days be bright & clear
Let no dark cloud surroun them
Teach them thy love & Godly fear
And let no sin confound them
Lord sanctify them thro thy truth
Thy word is true & holy
For mercy sake protect the youth
To shune thy endless glory

4 O give thy chosen servents power
To shun each vile temtation
And grant, them in the trying hour

thy peace & consolation
Let not thy mercy be with drawn
From those who love & fear thee
But in thy way still help them on
Till they can see thee clearly

3 Lord let thy gifts be freely known
To those who stand appointed
To be the watchmen in Zion
For they are thine annointed
Reveal to them thy holy will
Pour on them thine annointing
Teach thy chosen people still
The ways of thine appointing

6 We will walk in thy precious way
The flesh & spirit sever
To thee O gracious gracious Lord

Be thou our friend forever
Thou'st taught us how to enter in
Thy everlasting Kingdom
In which our souls escape
And rise in the Dominion

7 Help us O Lord till we get thro
This lower word of trial
That by thy strength we may subdue
Our foes by self denial
And still beyond this mortal shore
O grant thy smiles & favours
Then ever more we will adore
And praise the for our saviours

The Wedding Garment

1 Come virgins arise & dispel all your fears
The voice of the bridegroom has reached our ears
The bride has come forth & the servants called
And this visitation is free for us all
Come all who will venture
May now come & enter
And share in the treasures of love

2 Christs servants have called us & bid us come in
Dont waste to have us get stript of all
Come up and be doing and let us prepare
For Mother has sent us a garment to wear
~~Come strip off your vestments~~
And all who believe it

And gladly receive it
Will keep it & make it their own

3- Come strip off your rustment so ragged & old
Be clad with a garment more precious than gold
So lovely & pretty & always keeps clean
The choicest of raiments that ever Jesus
Has all who will wear it
Dont rent it nor tear it
Their nakedness will not appear

4- This beautiful Garment as we have been told
Is formed of a substance that never grows old
Tis all wrought solovely & this is the seal
And all such as wear it how pleasant they feel
Lets fill up our measure
Of this blessed treasure
Then we shall be happy & free

4 Tune

5 O what a rich pleasant my Mother to may
In choicest of raiments I should be array'd
To call it my beauty I cannot forbear
Tis just such a garment as Mother does wear

O what a rich pleasant
It makes me look pleasant
I'll wear it as long as I live

6. Come Brethren & Sisters come share in the prize
For this is the garment that makes us so wise
It will make us feel lovely & simple & meek
And all such as wear it how pleasant they speak

Look love one another
Be thankful to'ds Mother
And patiently travel along.

Appendix to the treasures of immortality

1. My hand saith God shall cover the people whom I bring
I'll guard the house forever where I have placed my name
Come then my chosen nation be thankful & rejoice
The God of your salvation your life for ever more

2. Be joyfull thou Mother be glad ye children too
And seek not for another to lead & comfort you
My wells are filled with water shall not cease my goodness
So every son & daughter may grow in love & peace

3. O thou good nurse be cheerful for thou shalt comfort reign
Let nothing dark or fearful lay hold upon your mind
Do thou thy children nourish for they may all be fed
See how thy gardens flourish thy fields afford them food

4. Behold the number seald unto Jehovahs praise
Who have his laws fullfilled who have subdued the beast

42 The righteous shall be raised the Jehovah wisheth be
And while goodness we praise all evil bows
5 Then fear not my beloved I'll guide the Lord you saith
Your virtues are approved receive the great reward
Come then my chosen nation & bid this world adieu
Receive the great salvation which is prepared for you

The New Tounge

1 Let all of Zions children
Their tuneful voices raise
In songs of thankful praises
For these bright gospel days
For now the God of Zion
His treasures does unfold
He has fulfilled his promise
As prophets have foretold

2. The voice of our blest leader
Does call to every one
Quit saturns hateful language
Come speak in the new tongue
Let all your words be lovely
Harmonious pure & mild
Come follow the example
Of heavens first born child

3 Then ye shall be my children
United in our band
And nothing that that is hurtful
Shall enter Zions land
Then ye shall dwell in safety
Your worship shall be new
Zion shall grow & flourish
Nourished with heavenly food

4 Can I ever fret or murmur
Or be lifeless dull or cold
Where an everlasting summer
Hath fine glories dos unfold
Heris the oil and wine inviting
Here the milk and honey flows
Many precious gifts uniting
Here the blooming lilly grows

5 Here the tender vine and myrtles
Spred sweet odours all around
Lovely virgins dance in circles
To the harps melodious sound
Holy Angels guard my spirit
In the path my parents trod
That I may a right inherit
On the holy mount of God

Mothers joyful Love

1. Mothers love is like an ocean
Let me have a little taste
This will give me life & motion
This will fill me full of grace

2. Mothers love it is refreshing
O how it doth give me spring
Filld with love O what a blessing
It doth make me dance & sing

3. Every vain immagination
Mothers love can chase away
Then I feel a new sensation
Then I love to skip an play

4. Full of love & joy & gladness
Heavenly fire & holy zeal

Wicked & mean may call it madness
Mothers love is what I feel

Sweet Conviction

1 Come sweet conviction reign in me
Spare not thy chastning rod
Conviction is the Fathers gift
To mortals here below
Shows them the wretched state they're in
Exposed to endless woe
2 Confessing is a glorious work
It makes the angels sing
To see a soul on fire with truth
Exposing every sin
This is a precious gift of God
It stains all human pride
It drives the devil from the soul

leaves him no place to hide

3. forsaking is the richest gift
It is the gift power of God
It turns the sinner short about
Into the heavenly road
This is the resurrection power
Which God has freely given
It frees the soul from every lust
& leads it out to heaven

4 O sacred truth inspire come dwell in me
& make me strong to fight
The devil & his wicked host
In darkest hours of night
Help me to cleanse my vessel clean
From all impurity
That I may stand before thy throne
From all pollutions free

5. O thankfulness come fill my soul
That I may truly hate
The filthy state of fallen man
& all his deed forsake
Help me to hate my nature base
Which God will never own
Nor can it be conformed at last
To his beloved Son

6. O help my soul Almighty God
Thro Christ thy beloved son
That I may honestly repent
Of every sin or wrong
Help me to find new life & peace
& in obedience shine
& the praise & glory
Shall forevermore be thine